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with few white hairs on it; also harness marks.

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## RENO EVENING GAZETTE.

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TUESDAY.....OCTOBER 30 1877.

### And Again.

Stocks are again on the sick list and the old questions recur, "What's the matter now?" "What is the reason?" &c. Smith, who is in and can't get out, says he thinks there will be a rise before holidays. While Brown, who sold out at a profit, "wouldn't be surprised if they went to bedrock again." Jones has a point given in confidence, while Thompson, having sunk his floating capital and been sold out, wishes that stocks were in Halifax.

These are some of the various opinions held, and yet not one of these worthy men stops to think that he is working for some stock sharp. He would rather make something out of stocks than improve his home and as a consequence he don't make it. When mice want the bit of cheese that lays in the trap, they are in danger. Some escape with the loss of a tail; some don't escape at all; and when Smith and others realize that this stock trap with its alluring bait was set for rats of his size, his financial head will not be pinched so often. On second thought we don't believe, however, that it would make any difference. Having escaped once, he would never rest until he was caught again. So it is of very little use to speak of the matter.

The following explanation of the recent decline will, however, show how easily the trap is sprung when the requisite number of nibbles are inside. The Alta says:

There is hardly a doubt but that the movements to crush stocks were in contemplation long before they were put in force, and to make them effectual, every assistance and every ally was employed. For several weeks the market was fed with all the stock it could carry, and so shrewd were the manipulators that no more was given out than it could stand. Although this constant contribution of stock had the effect to weaken the market and cause it to shade off, yet so skillfully was it manipulated that all shrinkages were only gradual, and so deceptive that but very few regarded the changes going on as anywise dangerous, and not until the opening of the market last week were the great majority of operators alarmed, but always hoping for the change, they held on until by circumstances forced to sell. In this movement to force people out of their shares, many elements were combined with the "bears," and from the banks calling in their loans, it looks as if these moneyed institutions were in league with them. The heavy sales of the bonanza shares contributed materially to the shrinkages in the balance of the shares, and their depreciation was of the most serious assistance to those that demoralized the market.

Tilden got excited the other night in New York and said something about having been robbed, and swearing that the Government should be restored to the people, and so on. Tilden is the beloved leader of the Democracy, and a considerable portion of his party are just now engaged in trying to clip his wings to prevent any flight in the future.

The press is becoming very quarrelsome lately. It don't like corporations; neither workingmen's parties; nor savings banks. And now comes the Marysville Appeal and says that if New York would leave Cleopatra's Needle where it stands, and feed and clothe the poor, she would do better work.

Senator Morton is very low, and is only supported by opiates and nutritious acids, which are injected under the skin. His physician does not anticipate any immediate change for the worse; but it is conceded that the present condition must soon change.

Edwin Adams, the actor, is dead. He is remembered as a scholar and warm hearted gentleman.

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It is about as difficult for one to determine the destiny of the silver dollar as to capture a flea without unfair advantage. The latest is to the effect that Senator Jones and friends are to be disappointed. Industrious editors all over the country are clamoring for some sort of a dollar.

The San Francisco Chronicle asserts that the bankers of San Francisco are unanimous in opposition to the double standard as proposed by Senator Jones.

*Elko Post:* It has become a marked custom in a large number of our eastern states to offer premiums at their annual fairs for handsome babies, and this exhibit is universally pronounced the most interesting in the list. We think the managers of the State Fair at Reno should have included this interesting feature in their programme, and should have offered a good premium for the handsomest baby in the State. Such a course would have brought to the fair a perfect flood of infantile humanity, and, as every mother regards her own "ittle ducky mucky" as the very acme of perfection the competition would have been lively. It would also buoy up the matrimonial market and create in the breasts of the ladies a desire to excel in this branch of industry. Let us by all means add this to our yearly exhibits, and it will at once take its position as the leading feature of our fairs. Due notice should be given, so competitors can have ample time to prepare for the event.

The crisis is still on in France. MacMahon is bound to have his way, and the popular sentiment seems to be that he must resign in order to solve the difficulty.

Lord Bective lately gave \$22,500 for a Canadian cow, which is the largest sum ever given except for the Duchess of Geneva, in New York, two years ago. Lord Bective's mother was sole heiress of Alderman Thompson of London, who left \$4,500,000.

The Paris Exposition of 1878 is to cost \$8,500,000. The original calculation was about \$7,000,000.

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### NOMINATIONS BY THE PRESIDENT.

The President has sent the following nominations to the Senate: William Henry Smith, Collector of Customs; Edwin A. Merritt, Surveyor, and L. Bradford Prince, Naval Officer for the Port of New York; Robert T. Smith, Collector of Customs for Mobile; Jewell Palmer, Collector of Internal Revenue for the Fifteenth District of Ohio; E. Platt Stratton of New York, Supervising Inspector of Steam Vessels for the Second District; John Scheinbach of Ohio, the same for the Seventh District; Lewis Heyl of Pennsylvania, to be Appraiser of Merchandise, under the provisions of section 2008 of the Revised Statutes; Wm. Stoughton, of New York, to be Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary of the United States in Russia; Gabriel C. Wharton, to be United States Attorney for Kentucky, and Lewis E. Parsons, the same for the Northern and Middle District of Alabama; John Oglesby, of Louisiana, Assistant Appraiser of Merchandise, and James Lewis, Naval Officer for New Orleans; General Gulford Miley Wells of Mississippi, to be United States Consul-General at Shanghai. Consuls—J. T. McLain, Jr., of Ohio, at Nassau; John A. Campbell of Wyoming, at Basle. United States Marshals—Owen P. Fitzsimmons, for Georgia; M. J. Waldrone, for the Western District of Tennessee; Charles Allen, for the Western District of Missouri.

UNFORTUNATE.—Harry Mighels, editor of the Carson Appeal, and an able writer and speaker, is threatened with the loss of an eye. An ulcer having formed on the pupil of one eye, Mr. Mighels has been forced to give up all use of his sight in obedience to medical advice. The sufferer no doubt has more consolation than comfort just now, still we offer our kind wishes in all sincerity and hope for a speedy recovery.

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PERENNIAL PLANTS.—The Rural Gentleman has an article on perennial herbaceous plants, for flowering purposes, which takes the ground that of all plants in cultivation they are the least trouble to take care of, as they die down in the fall, some within the ground and others to its surface, and are rapidly increased by dividing the roots and transplanting in spring. Besides, some will bloom for a long time before bedding. They sometimes bloom the first season of putting out—always the second season. Most of them bloom till the frost cuts them down, which makes them more desirable, and they should be more generally cultivated; for where a fine collection is grown, and the annuals and others that are put out for summer flowering, they make a fine display. Great improvements have been made of late years to the perennial list of plants, by the hybridizing and raising of the new varieties, which are growing in great demand. Being no necessity to take them up through the winter, but leaving them in open ground without protection, then from spring till fall having some always in bloom, and lasting for years with so little trouble, must bring them into notice of lovers of flowers, especially if they have room to plant them. It would be impossible to give our readers a list of the most desirable perennial flowering plants, owing to the fact that certain kinds do well in some localities and not so well in others. Experience will be the best instructor as to the kinds to choose.

He ran somewhat hastily into the cigar store and said, pompously, "Give me one of your best Matilda cigars." "I guess you mean a Marguerite," said the clerk. "Oh, yes," he said, "I was thinking of another girl."

How to CHOOSE A GOOD COW.—A crumpled horn is a good indication, a full eye another. Her shoulders should be small and short. Avoid a Roman nose, which indicates thin milk and little of it. See that she is dished in the face—sunk between the eyes. Notice that she is what stock men call a good handier—skin soft and loose, like the skin of a dog. Deep from the loin to the udder, and a very slim tail. A cow with these marks never fails to be a good milker.

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### TWO KINDS OF WOMEN.

The streets of New York at night present a spectacle more saddening, more pitiful, more fearful than any picture to be found in Dante's Inferno. Underneath the gas lamp, from dark until long after midnight wander unceasingly thousands of young girls. Their eyes are fixed. They stalk like shadows. There is no merriment in their gait; no joy, no peace, no happiness in their look. However well dressed, it is the same whitened sepulcher. For mile after mile these sad spectres hurry along. At each side street they carry off their victims.

Who are these desolate ones who fill the city with their ceaseless tramps? Do they come forth at night because they care not for the society of their mothers and fathers and sisters? Alas no. These ones have no homes. They are alone in a great world, too busy to notice them or their misfortunes. Without knowledge of the world, they are driven into the midst of its vices, and forced to earn a living by the only means that is within their power. They know not the horrible abyss of shame, the amplitude of suffering, the depth of the distress, to which that first step leads. And so, having begun, they are carried on by the swift current of crime about them. Do they ever seek to escape? They turn blindly, for the means, but on every hand they seem shut in by a high wall separating them from the respectable world.

There is another class of women in New York. They are not as numerous as their miserable sisters. They have wealth. They live in comfortable homes. They have husbands and happy children. Their time is almost a burden on their hands. With the arrival of each day it is a question, how shall the hours be passed. They look out into the night and behold the closely wrapped female figures hurrying by in the darkness. The sight means nothing to them. It does not even excite a shudder. They themselves are comfortable. Many of them are highly intelligent ladies who long for a vocation. They do not know what to do with their time. They think of devoting themselves to art or to literature. O, women who seek a higher sphere of life; who long for something to do, for some field of usefulness, for something higher and better than a life of idleness, entertainment and novel reading. O, women, you have before you the opportunity. There are your poor, erring sisters passing your door at every hour. They need your assistance. If you have compassion, pity them. You have the power to save. Your wealth and position gave it to you. Go out among them. Gently, patiently labor to bring them to a better life. If you succeed in a whole lifetime of labor in raising up but one such, you have performed a grand charity. Do not complain that you have nothing to do—that you are envious. Here is your opportunity. Go. Save.—Daily Republic.

### HOTEL ARRIVALS.

#### Granger House.

W Phillips, J Milne, Reno; H Cusins, Red Bluff; M M Vey, Eureka; H Cummings, T Cunningham, Sacramento; R Crosby, Verdi.

#### Pollard House.

W H Allen, Beloit, Wisconsin; A Miller, Susanville; O C Hawthorne, San Juan; J H Rosseter, San Francisco; A L Gladden and family, Wadsworth.

#### Depot Hotel.

G H Mallard, O U Bogart, San Francisco; J H Hurd, Mrs A Foster, Mrs R Jenkins, Dr H R Fowler, J Seeley, G M Podgostone, H Wilkinson, G Louis, R Carman, Virginia; J F Doughty, Chicago; H A Clauson, Carson; C W Throser, Battle Mountain; S R Steinson, Dayton, Ohio; J Scott, F M Cummins, Halleck, Nev.

#### International Hotel.

Geo F Gardner, Truckee; Wm H Beede, J Burnett, Carson; C W Carroll, George Small, City; H Carroll, T Lettredge, D Wickerman, Virginia; J R Steinburger, New York.

#### Arcade Hotel.

C Miller, Dennis Harvey, J Haggerty, Virginia; H Montgomery, Carson; W S Pierce, Antelope; J Lehigh, C B Mayon, D Robnett, City; C W Fraser, Battle Mountain.

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### ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

**ENTRAL DRAIN DITCH COMPANY.**—Location of Works, Truckee Meadows; Location of Prime Land of the Company, Reno, Nevada. Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Board of Trustees held October 27, 1877, an assessment (No. 6) of Five Dollars, payable in labor under the supervision of the Superintendents, who will commence work October 29, 1877, was levied upon each share of the capital stock of the corporation. Any one upon which this assessment is laid, shall remain unpaid until November 1, 1877, when it will be deemed delinquent, and proceedings will be commenced as authorized by law and the By-Laws of said Company. By order of the Board of Trustees.

A. J. CLARK, Secy.

Reno, Oct. 27, 1877.

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## RENO EVENING GAZETTE.

### LOCAL AFFAIRS.

#### Stand and Deliver.

#### Two Footpads Disappointed.

Last night about 10:30 as Morris Ash was going home, two enterprising footpads jumped out from a woodpile near Jamison's residence and confronted Ash in the road. The gentlemanly vendor of "St. Louis" pursued the even tenor of his way when the street supervisors accosted him with "good evening." He made answer and was passing on when one of the prowlers tapped Ash on the shoulder and said, "say, hold on." Then Morris knew what was up, and, springing to one side, grabbed a scantling and laid it lovingly across the speaker's head. Ash stumbled in striking and lost his hold upon the club. Robber No. 2 here advanced and Ash not having anything to "persuade" him with, took to his heels and ran a good second to "Sooner's" time fair week. When the run was over Ash said he felt a little shaky. He is anxious for the health of the gentleman who ran against the scantling, and so is Barlow.

#### Steamboat Quicksilver Mines.

The Humbert Brothers, of whose valuable property at Steamboat we have before spoken, are still at work, this time upon the final process which is to practically test the ore sand of Steamboat. The first machinery prepared, and of which we gave an ample description, was merely modified from the form in which it originally served for the roasting of ores. The remodeling was the work of Mr. Winterburn, and, although perfect in theory, was still regarded as an experiment at best. The preparations were speedily made, however, and the test made. We are informed that, although partially satisfactory, it was concluded that the form of machinery was not sufficiently perfect, and a change was immediately commenced. We now learn that the Humbert Brothers have about completed the permanent works for the proper separation and condensation of the quicksilver and we may soon hear favorably from them. The first experiment, although with rude appliances, established the fact that this ore sand could be made to give up its value, and we hope that the enterprising workers may realize great wealth from the use of this second and more perfect appliance.

**JUSTICE COURT, TUESDAY, OCTOBER 30.**—The case of a Celestial charged with keeping an opium den was on trial this afternoon in the Justice Court. Bang Wo, alias any other Chinese name, it is alleged by the detective force, presides over a house in Chinatown in which white men are frequently found, and in which much opium smoking is done. A jury composed of good men has been empanneled to try the case. The law is peculiar in reference to this particular offense, but the interpretation of that law as given by the authorities in Virginia City and Carson is somewhat unique. The law is that any one who sells, gives away or otherwise disposes of opium, or keeps a house or room wherein opium is smoked, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction of the same shall be punished by a fine not exceeding \$500 or imprisonment in the county jail for a term not exceeding six months, or both. The District Attorney, Wm. Cain, has promised the head Chinese here that if opium smoking was simply confined to themselves that he would not prosecute them, as he deemed that they had not violated the spirit and interpretation of the opium law, as elsewhere held. Strictly speaking, such promised immunity is somewhat remarkable; but the mass of Americans care little whether Chinese smoke opium or not. It is rational to presume that the design of the law is to prevent white persons from using in any form the pernicious drug. The case this afternoon will be a test case, and therefore its decision is awaited with considerable interest.

**PROF. ROUTAN.**—This blind musician who is known to many of our citizens, lectured last evening on "How to Teach the Blind." Owing to a press of other matter, we omitted to give notice. The Professor is, we understand, anxious to maintain himself, and can always count upon our cordial aid.

### Liberty or Death.

**Desperate Attempt Prison Breaking—Two Prisoners Wounded, one Fatally—A Short Combat and a Graceful Surrender—Bravery of Captain Mathewson.**

About 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon the time arrived for the periodical attempt to break the State Prison at Carson. The plans seem to have been laid and understood, but appear rather clumsy in various details. At the hour named Captain Mathewson, deputy Warden, and Gunnond, Captain of the guard, were in the upper story of the shoe shop. They were surprised by the nine or ten men who are employed in this department, and armed with knives came dashing up the steps crying "Liberty or death." The officers had no time to prepare for the shock and were overpowered and dragged down the stairs by the desperate villains, who had evidently determined to compel their assistance in liberating the other prisoners. One Belcher, who is under sentence for 21 years, was the leader and directed each movement of the forlorn hope. The villains brandished their weapons about the faces of their captives, and seemed to grow more savage at the prospect of their success, all the time repeating their watchword of liberty or death. Upon reaching the yard however, Mathewson resolutely raised the alarm although surrounded and in the power of his enemies. Then a struggle ensued between the officers and their captors, and the sentries hesitated to shoot because of the fear of killing the officer. During the affray Captain Gunnond was cut severely in the thigh by one of the ruffians, and affairs were getting desperate when Mathewson, with a round oath to the sentries, commanded them to shoot and never mind him. This order was obeyed, and Alec Johnson, one of the prisoners, fell to the ground mortally wounded. Captain Mathewson, the brave deputy, who placed his own life in peril, that he might defeat the attempt, was also wounded in the left arm slightly.

The desperate prisoners seemed to lose all hope when the sentries began to fire upon the crowd, and the leader, Belcher, told Mathewson that he was ready to surrender, thereupon the fire of the sentries was withdrawn and the desperadoes surrendered and were locked up.

The desperate men who made such a hopeless dash for freedom are given below:

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